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## TELEGRAPHIC.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 15, 1886.

Sir Charles Tupper is still confined to his house at Ottawa. Callers are not admitted. The powers have agreed who shall be in military occupation of Bulgaria. Probably the whole affair will quiet down.

Sheriff Chapleau returns to Regina in two days. He has been successful in organizing a ranching company of Americans which will operate on the Alberta frontier.

Fred. White, comptroller of police, expects that the construction of the police barracks at Lethbridge will be commenced this fall. Four sections have been reserved for grounds.

Gen. Middleton was present yesterday at the unveiling of the monument to private Watson of the 90th and associates in St. Catharines.

The Queen has decided to refer the arrangement of the programme for a national celebration of the jubilee of her reign to a great meeting of the full privy council, the Prince of Wales presiding.

Officials of the department of justice state that the act relating to the administration of justice in the North-West will likely be proclaimed after the session of the North-West Council. The number of applicants for positions under it is very large.

The Methodist general conference has demanded of the Ottawa government the enactment of a prohibitory liquor law at the next session of parliament. It has also decided to retain the two general superintendents and appoint a missionary superintendent. In connection with the latter the name of Rev. John Macdougall of Morleyville is mentioned.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 16, 1886.

The North-West Council meets on October 13th.

The Quebec provincial elections take place on October 12th.

New grain rates have gone into effect on the C. P. R., reducing the present tariff.

The base-ball league championship for Manitoba was won by the Hotel's club yesterday.

The Galatea was defeated in the final contest for the America cup, which now remains in the United States.

The first shipment of Montana cattle arrived last night. Over ten thousand head are expected to arrive this season.

A report has been current here that sixty Indians of the Battleford district have gone off in the direction of Edmonton, with the police in pursuit.

A mass of rock fell on the Canadian Pacific track east of Rat Portage on Friday last and a freight train crashed into it. The boiler exploded, the train was wrecked and the engineer and fireman killed.

Capt. Markham who accompanied the Hudson's Bay expedition to York Factory this year has arrived overland. He gives a full account of the trip, and is satisfied of a five month's season of navigation, if not longer.

Cable advices have been received from Hugh Sutherland, president of the Hudson's Bay Railway company that financial arrangements have been completed for the immediate commencement of the construction of that road. That a shipment of rails for the work is now in progress and that the vessel will sail for Canada on Sunday with Shelford, the chief engineer of the road. This is said to mean by those in a position to know that active construction will begin at once and be carried on with all possible vigor to the close of the season. The news has been received with great satisfaction in Winnipeg.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 8, 1886.

Premier DeGiers has given Bismarck assurance that Russia will not occupy Bulgaria.

Full particulars of the Hudson's bay affair not yet received, but from previous correspondence the opinion prevails that the full scheme has not been floated, but that by the aid of the provincial guarantee funds for the line within the province have been secured.

T. W. Jackson, member of the North-West Council for Qu'Appelle, has resigned, it is said in order to devote his whole time to the Wood Mountain & Qu'Appelle road. Among his possible successors are mentioned Coulthart and Seymour of Fort Qu'Appelle and Crawford and Bell of Indian head.

CALGARY, Sept. 17, 1886.

Weather fine. Stage left on time, three passengers and the usual amount of sore heads.

Clanton shipped a large load of British Columbia fruit for Edmonton yesterday.

McPherson and McKinnon leave to-morrow for Edmonton with 2,000 sheep. They are a first class band.

Mr., Mrs. and Miss Hardisty arrived safely and are going to rusticate at the Banff springs for some time.

McDonald the great railroad contractor is here in the interests of the Edmonton branch. He says that work will be commenced next spring without fail, but from what points he does not say.

## LOCAL.

GEESSE are beginning to come south.

MEASELS prevalent in the Victoria district.

BUILDING is brisker in town than ever before.

DR. MCINNIS leaves for Winnipeg next week.

MR. RAMSEY of Battle river arrived by Monday's stage.

J. A. McDUGALL arrived from the east by Monday's stage.

THE cemetery plot is being surveyed by Geo. A. Simpson.

HUMBERTSTONE'S yard will turn out 125,000 brick this season.

THE Hermitage school opens on Tuesday next, the 21st inst.

CHAS. STEWART arrived from Calgary and the east on Monday.

CHIEF SAMPSON has returned to Bear's hill from his eastern tour.

Six hundred dollars has been subscribed for the Calgary fall show.

MORAE, KNOWLES & Co. are erecting a large frame stable for J. Kelly.

N. VANDALE arrived with freight for A. Macdonald & Co. on Friday.

LLOYD & CONNORS' saloon is being sheeted outside with dressed lumber.

J. LAMOUREUX brought down a raft of lumber on Saturday evening last.

A. BRAZEAU arrived on Thursday with freight for A. Macdonald & Co.

STAGG arrived Monday evening, P. Campbell No. 1 driver, four passengers.

F. DEGAISSE is erecting a frame dwelling on Jasper avenue, H. B. property.

R. LOGAN arrived from the east this week, having purchased a large stock of goods.

THOS. HENDERSON is about erecting a frame stable on his property on Fraser avenue.

A FARM instructor's house is to be built on the Stoney reserve at Wolf creek this fall.

A PIANO arrived this week for use in the musical department of The Poplars school.

A LUNAR rainbow was visible for a short time on Tuesday night. It was quite perfect.

J. KERNOHAN and F. Rowland arrived from Calgary on Friday with freight for J. A. McDougall.

REV. R. INKSTER, church of England missionary to the Sarcees, arrived from Calgary on Monday.

THOS. ANDERSON, crown timber agent, wife and daughter left for the east on Thursday, via Calgary.

M. McCALLEY was injured in the thigh by a kick from a horse on Monday evening. He is not laid up.

THE police out contract calls for the delivery of 210,000 pounds, not 313,000 as the tenders called for.

ALEX. TAYLOR has been appointed deputy clerk of the court for the Edmonton division by Judge Robson.

Now is the miner's harvest time. The season is not long but the crop is about as sure as the country affords.

A SCHOOL building is being erected on Muddy Bull's reserve at Bear's hill by the Methodist missionary society.

A CRANBERRYING party left on Tuesday for the berry country out the Landing road. They will return Monday.

F. GREENWOOD is building a stopping place on the Calgary trail at the slough between Wolf Creek and Barnett's.

K. A. McLEOP is building a frame stable in rear of his dwelling on the Jas. Rowland estate; size 14 x 22, 12 feet posts.

THE assessment of the Belmont school district for '86 has been completed and amounts to \$39,629. F. Kernohan assessor.

D. R. FRASER took a raft of lumber to Fort Saskatchewan this week and a gang of men to commence work on the new barrack room.

CHIEF BOB-TAIL and band who have left the treaty are camped and putting up hay for their stock on the Bow river trail a few miles this side of Barnett's stopping place.

W. WILSON arrived from Calgary on Tuesday with freight for Ross Bros. and G. A. Blake, and some fresh fruit for private sale.

RUMOR that the Fort Saskatchewan police are organizing a minstrel troupe, and that they may make a raid on Edmonton shortly.

On Friday Jas. Goodridge, John Looby and E. Looby left for Beaver lake on a hunting excursion. John Brown and Jas. Reid leave to-day.

RICHARD THOMPSON a native of Nova Scotia was recently drowned in the Belly river, near Whoop up, while trying to swim across on horseback.

HIS LORDSHIP the Bishop of Saskatchewan is still delayed here by the effects of the accident which occurred to him when leaving on Tuesday of last week.

BUSINESS is increasing in Edmonton. W. Johnstone Walker, J. A. McDougall and R. Logan will open out general stores and Stewart & Bannerman a boot and shoe store.

THE Prince Albert Times in a late issue says that when the government is attacked "We have the right, if we can, to defend it." The point in the saving clause is well taken.

MESSES. BRYDGES and Aldous of the H. B. land department are expected here this fall to establish an office for the sale of lots on the company's property, and to fix the prices.

SOME of the Two Hills band of Indians killed a heifer belonging to the government on their reserve on Wednesday. They were assisted by one of those who recently left the treaty.

REPORTED that the Morleyville Stonies are very uneasy about the unaccountable disappearance of a member of their band. They fear that he has been murdered by bad whites.

W. D. PERLEY, M. N. W. C., is nominated by the Qu'Appelle Progress as a Commons candidate for eastern Assiniboia. The Progress describes him as a conservative who places country before party.

J. A. McDUGALL is about to erect a store building on the H. B. property near the post office, 22 x 36, story and a half high, baloon frame, rustic siding outside, matched lumber inside, square front. Jas. McDonald builder.

SOCIAL on Tuesday evening next in the building lately occupied by J. A. McDougall & Co., given by the ladies' aid society of the Presbyterian church, on the occasion of the departure of Mr. A. S. Grant who has assisted Rev. Mr. Baird this summer. Tea at 6:30, to be followed by a musical programme.

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NOTICE.—All parties indebted to me are hereby requested to settle up forthwith, as I am leaving the country. L. J. MUNRO, M. D.

\$5 REWARD.—Lost from Edmonton on Wednesday night, August 8th, one good sized bay horse with roached mane, and one sorrel horse with white face. Long picket ropes on both when last seen. Any person delivering the same to M. McCauley, Edmonton, or M. S. Inglis, Fort Saskatchewan will receive the above reward.

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1 Steer, 2 years old,  
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3 Heifers, 1 year old,  
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### PROHIBITION.

Nothing could be squarer or more definite than the stand taken by the Mail, in an extract published elsewhere in this issue, on the question of prohibition in the North-West. It is a declaration of government policy, and as such is very satisfactory to the temperance people of the North-West, who were beginning to believe from the present method of administration of the law that it was intended to bring it into disrepute, so that it might safely be abandoned without offending the large prohibition element in the east. It seems however that this not the case, and that at present in the North-West the government stands squarely on a prohibition platform. That if the law is brought into disrepute it is not through any wish of the government. Nor are the prospects any better for a repeal of the law from the other side of the house, but rather worse. If the temperance vote has so great an influence with the government it must have still greater with the opposition, who are in closer relationship to the prohibitionists. So that no matter which party is in power, as long as the temperance feeling in the east is as strong as at present, and as long as territorial affairs are managed from Ottawa, so long prohibition at least in name will be maintained—and it is as well for the North-West that it is so. Of course it is tyranny for the federal authorities to enforce prohibition in the territories when they have no representation in parliament, but it is a benignant tyranny and no greater in degree than the assumption of any of the powers of government which in the provinces are exercised by the people through their legislatures. Many of those who oppose the prohibitory law in the North-West base their principal objections on this tyrannical exercise of power, but as a rule these same parties see no objection to any similar exercise of power in any other matter of government. When the North-West has acquired the rights of local self government accorded the various provinces—when it will be in a position to control a license system—will be time enough to complain of tyranny if prohibition is still enforced by federal authority. When that time comes the people may safely be left to decide for or against prohibition as a provincial issue. If prohibition has really been an injury to them they will beyond doubt vote against it; and if it has been a benefit, prohibitionists, who have achieved all that they have achieved by the will of the people, will have no fears of the result of a popular vote. In the meantime however they have a right to expect that while the government is announcing a prohibition policy in the east it will enforce the prohibition law in the west, so that when the people come to decide for themselves for or against prohibition the law which the government is now making capital out of passing and keeping in force shall not be condemned through not having had a fair trial. The temperance question is one that of right belongs to provincial not federal politics, and from present appearances it is one of the few questions which the federal parliament will shortly be more than willing to abandon to the provincial legislatures.

SOME weeks ago the Calgary Herald published an article containing a list of the concessions made to the North-West by the federal government during the past year or two. The article is copied by a number of eastern papers to show how much the government is entitled to credit for introducing such beneficial reforms and how unreasonable complaints against it now are. Every person in the North-West is well aware that since the advent of the present minister of the interior there have been many much-needed reforms introduced; but it is rather strange that the fact of these reforms having been required is taken as a proof that the government policy was, and always will be perfection itself.

that the papers which praise the reforms of the present minister so highly are the same that declared the unreformed policy of the former minister to be altogether lovely and above criticism. If the government is entitled to so much credit for having made these changes, where in the public gratitude should stand those whose protests caused the changes to be made—the farmers' union, Riel, the white rebels and the kickers generally? If the changes are so good the men who brought them about have done the state some service—as much surely as those who only made them when compelled to do so. But whoever is or is not entitled to credit, certainly those papers and public men who were continually asserting that no improvement was necessary or even possible are not entitled to any share of it. On the contrary to the able efforts of these parties is due the long delay of the reforms which they now so highly praise. Although the minister of interior has done well he could do still better, and no doubt would if he had the support of these men and journals. No doubt he would open the odd sections to homesteading, reduce the price of pre-emptions at least outside the railway belt, grant second homesteads in proper cases, wind up the colonization companies according to their agreements instead of giving them the choice land of the country, with other et ceteras. And yet not one of these papers will even hint that any of these things are desirable until pressure of some kind has been brought to bear to secure them and then forthwith the party chorus will break out in praise of what perhaps but a month before it as vigorously condemned.

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Culls 15.00  
Dimension Lumber, over 16 ft., extra 20.00  
Fence Pickets, undressed, 3 ft. long, per 100 3.50  
" dressed and pointed 4.00  
Lath, per bundle of 100 .75  
Shingles, per M 4.00  
Spruce timber, 8x8, for sills, per L. ft. .10  
" 10x10, " " .12

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## LOCAL.

LAST fall about this time a report was published in this paper of a demented white man being found by an Indian north of Victoria and brought in to the settlement. Also of his being afterwards seen on the Landing road going north. He then had no weapon but an axe, no clothes but those on his back and no provisions. Where or how he spent the time since is not known, and it was generally supposed that he must have perished during the winter. But on Wednesday last he was seen by R. Jarvis—who saw him on the Landing road last fall—on the Bow river trail in the neighborhood of Peace hills, going south afoot and alone. He had a shoe pack on one foot and a moccasin on the other, stockings, trousers, coat and cloth cap; no pack or gun. He is a man of middle size and has a full but shortish beard.

A LETTER was received by last mail from Messrs. Pilon and Moodie who left here on the 1st of June last to explore lake Athabasca for minerals. It was dated at Fort Chipewyan, July 5th, and came by way of Carlton and Qu'Appelle. They had just arrived at Chipewyan the day before and both were in good health and spirits. From the Landing they had no difficulty in reaching the Grand Rapids of the Athabasca, but from there to Fort McMurray, some 60 or 70 miles, the river is almost a line of rapids, giving the explorers a pretty rough time. From Fort McMurray to the lake the river is nearly straight, very wide and full of islands, very easy and pleasant to sail down. Fort Chipewyan is in the west corner of the lake, at its outlet by way of the Slave river. The trip from Edmonton to Chipewyan occupied 34 days. At the date of their letter they were starting for the north end of the lake and had rigged a sail on their boat. All the information they had received up to that time was very favorable and they believed that they had already secured specimens of silver. The appearance of the shores of the lake is that of a mineral bearing country. The steamer Grahame arrived at Chipewyan on July 3rd at about 3 p.m., having left Fort McMurray at 1 p.m. on the 2nd. The distance is about 200 miles.

THE Indian side of the story of the recent encounter between several Sarcees and the police near Calgary is that the police fired on the Indians without provocation; that the Indians had no guns and so could not return the fire of the police when they desired to. One of the Indians was struck in the thigh and in the arm, the bullet in both cases passing through without injuring the bone. He is recovering. Another Sarcee says he was struck on the breast by a bullet, but that it did not penetrate—only raised a lump and caused him to spit blood. The other Indians think he is bullet-proof and "manitou" or supernatural. Another explanation is that the cartridge fired at him was damaged, and another that he injured himself by falling from his horse and lied about being struck by a bullet. The Sarcees feel very hot over the matter. They say they have stood a great deal of abuse from the whites but draw the line at being shot at. On the other hand they are a notoriously quarrelsome tribe, which accounts for the smallness of their numbers at the present time, some 251 souls.

AN impression has been prevalent in the North-West for some time that the prohibitory law was about to be set aside in favor of a license system. The Mail, evidently speaking with authority, says of the matter: "The North-West was therefore a special case. Its position resembled much the position of the neighborhood of large public works. There, where large numbers of men congregate and where the restraining influences of civilization are wanting, the sale of liquor is prohibited by special government order. Under the prohibitory system in the west, though there has been some grumbling from those who are deprived of their glass, nothing has occurred to suggest the desirability of a change. Indeed, a regular system of licensing under which large quantities of liquors would be stored would be highly injurious to the prospects of a country possessing the peculiarities of the territories. It would be bad in many ways; but, chiefly, it would help to undo the good work which the missionaries of the various denominations with commendable self-sacrifice are doing amongst those upon whom the light of civilization is just dawning. The public good, therefore requires that the system be continued. And so does the law. The government could not issue licenses if it would. Moreover it does not propose to place itself in a position to issue them. It has not, we are informed, thought of removing the prohibitory enactment, and it does not intend to invite parliament to do away with this salutary measure."

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## CHURCHES.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND.**—Hours of Sunday service: All Saints 11 a.m., St. Michael's 6.30 p.m. W.N.

**ST. JOACHIM'S, R.C. CHURCH,** Edmonton.—Mass at 10 a.m. every Sunday, Sermon in English and Cree. Afternoon services at 3 o'clock. H. GRANDIN, O.M.I.

**METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.**—J. H. Howard, Pastor. Hours of service, 11 a.m. and 7.00 p.m. Sabbath school, 2.30 p.m. Prayer meeting and lecture, Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

**EDMONTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**—Pastor, the Rev. Andrew B. Baird, M.A., B.D., assisted by Mr. A. S. Grant, B.A. Sabbath services at Edmonton: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 2 p.m. Belmont: August 1, 15, 29, Sept. 12 and 26 at 2.30 p.m. Sturgeon: Aug. 8, 15, 29, Sept. 22, at 2.30 p.m. Clover Bar: August 1, 8, 22, Sept. 5, 19, at 2.30 p.m. Fort Saskatchewan: every Sabbath at 10.30 a.m.

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**LOST.**—\$5.00 REWARD.—A Dark Brown Horse, born on nose, branded "H P" on high hip and "E P" on high shoulder. Deliver to the undersigned or to K. A. McLeod Edmonton. GEO. WEST.

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CALGARY is strong on politics. During the summer it has been stirred up by the conservative association and the North-West league, and lately the liberal association called a meeting for September 6th. Jas. Walker president, E. P. Davis secretary.

On Saturday last a severe storm struck the telegraph line near Elenor, crossing from north-west to south-east. It broke off many of the telegraph poles and blew down many trees. The wire was broken in three places. The track of the storm was about 35 miles wide.

TREATY payments in this agency will be made as follows: Two Hills band on Thursday 23rd inst.; Stoney Plain, Saturday 25th; Riviere QuiBarre, Alexander, Tuesday 28th, Michael, Wednesday 29th; Lac Ste Anne, Alexis, Saturday Oct. 2nd, Ironhead, Monday Oct. 4th.

RUFUS STEPHENSON, inspector of colonization societies, arrived here from Calgary on Sunday evening last to inspect the work of the Edmonton & Saskatchewan Land Company and arrange what lands are to be retained by the company in absolute ownership. He was accompanied by Mr. Boucher of Qu'Appelle. They left for the south on Friday.

FANNY MARGARET RIDDELL of Beaconsfield near Montreal gives notice in the Canada Gazette of application for divorce from her husband George Field Herchmer, M. D., of some place in the North-West Territories unknown, on the grounds of desertion and adultery. Dr. Herchmer was at one time hospital sergeant in the police force at Fort Saskatchewan.

The early part of this week was cool, damp and cloudy. Frost came on Wednesday night 16th inst., the first of the season to do any damage. Thursday was raw, cold and gusty. Twice during the day snow fell to whiten the ground, but disappeared at once. Heavy white frost on Thursday night, settling all delicate plants for the season. Friday was sunny and calm.

The MacLeod Gazette reports that as a herd of sheep belonging to J. T. Demars of Frenchtown, Montana, was passing through the Blood reserve on the way to MacLeod, Indians stampeded them at the crossing of Belly river and ran them over a cut bank, causing the death of 172 of the flock. The Indians skinned, cut up and carried off the dead sheep while the drovers were looking at them.

On the occasion of the presentation of their medals to the Alberta scouts and police at Calgary by Gen. Strange, the general was presented on behalf of the members of the force with a complimentary address and a cane. The address deplored the treatment that the general had received at the hands of his superior officers and the government. In his address to the men the general said that he had forwarded Major Steele's report to Gen. Middleton and that it had not been published.

SEVEN deaths from measles occurred last week among a band of late treaty Indians camped near Fort Saskatchewan. They were formerly members of the Two Hills band. The wet cold weather of two weeks ago was what did the business. The Indians on all the reserves in this vicinity have the disease among them, and if it has not spent itself before winter there will be slaughter among those who have not had it up to that time. In former years the measles has been as fatal to the Indians as the small-pox if they were attacked in winter, and comparatively harmless if in summer. If it gets into the north country just at the beginning of winter there will be a fearful mortality.

# METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Friday evening, Sept. 17th, 1886. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max	Min.
Saturday,	58	40
Sunday,	63	40
Monday,	70	43
Tuesday,	62	45
Wednesday,	48	35
Thursday,	38	23
Friday,	50	19

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per 100	3.50
" dressed and pointed	4.00
Lath, per bundle of 100	.75
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